













## Brainard Dispatch.

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The Little son of Mrs. Francis Hodgson Burnett, the author of Little Lord Fauntleroy, is very ill with what is feared to be consumption.

Ones that have three-fingered leaves are a rare poisonous; those that show five-fingered leaves can be handled with safety.

The cheapest place in Missouri to live is at the penitentiary. The daily cost of maintaining convicts at that institution is only seven and one-half cents per capita.

It took just seventeen days for George Maromb, a Michigan man to bury his wife, put up a headstone, repair his house, and marry a second time.

A DANBURY lady has a dress, worn by a bride in the year 1700, that weighs only three ounces. It is white cut low in the neck, sleeveless, and well preserved.

A GEORGIA editor has this notice pasted in his office: "Strangers coming on the editor during his absence from the office will please leave their cards. Candidates for the legislature must leave their cash."

One of Utah's inexplicable marvels is a mountain thickly covered with oyster shells. It is 35 miles north-east of Salt Lake City, and is over 4,000 feet higher than the valley, which is 4,300 feet above sea level.

A NEW industry has been started in Sweden in the manufacture of paper from moss. Paper and pasteboard of different thicknesses up to nearly an inch thick have already been made from it.

In Buenos Ayres an opera box for sixty nights costs \$7,000. Coal for range or fire-place is from \$38 to \$40 per ton. You may go to the circus for \$5.50. Shoes are worth from \$10 to \$12. They use "flat money."

A MEMBER of the military committee on the Lee monument claims it was the example of the New York Seventh that led the confederacy to adopt the gray uniform. He says the First Virginia infantry copied the Seventh when that regiment visited Richmond in 1857.

MR. GRIFFIN tells that out of \$10,000,000,000, at which sum he assesses the capital value of Great Britain and Ireland, \$9,617,000,000 or 96 percent of the whole, belongs to England, \$978,000,000, or 9.7 percent, to Scotland, and the rest, \$417,000,000, or 4.3 percent, to Ireland.

THE NEW York Independent gives returns of the vote of 126 presbyterians of the Presbyterian church on the revision of the confession of faith. These returns show eighty-two votes in favor of revision, forty against and four refused to vote. There are eighty-six presbyterians to be heard from.

IT APPEARS that the Detroit breweries which were purchased by an English syndicate last spring have not been successful under the new ownership. The reason given for the falling off in business is that the patriotic people of Michigan refuse to buy their beer of a foreign corporation.

A GERMAN author, who has spent twenty-four years experimenting on the form of wings best adapted for carrying heavy bodies, concludes that the secret of a bird's flight lies in the arching of its wings, which accounts for the small expenditure of its strength, and a close imitation of the bird is the only method of solving the problem of human flight.

WHILE Jay Gould was in San Antonio, he had some washing done, which amounted to \$21. The clothes were taken to the train too late, and the special had pulled out, leaving the duds behind. The agent offered to send them on and collect, but the laundryman declined, saying that when he is wished to ride on one of Mr. Gould's railroads he was required to pay in advance. The Wizard's shirts are, consequently, still in hock.

An electrician, writing recently on the action of electricity on the human body, says that just what takes place in the human organism to produce death from an electric current seems to be an unsolved problem. One of these theories sometimes advanced concerning it is that, when a being suffers from electric shock, it is a pure case of internal rupture or explosion from the generation of gas vapor.

Two officers of the garrison of Roubaix, in France, fought a duel a few days ago in which, in the first three encounters, one of them was slightly wounded on the wrist, breast and shoulder successively. In the fourth encounter the other man had his sword smashed, and in the fifth the same man was seriously wounded in the neck. He insisted on continuing, but the seconds refused to allow it, and the duel was declared ended.

EXPERTS have for some time been experimenting and estimating upon the comparative cost of running a line of street cars by electricity and by horse power. After careful inquiry and investigation they have reported that taking a line of 50 cars the average cost of operating per day with horses is \$303.75, against a cost when electricity is used of \$68.50 per day. This leaves a balance of \$235.25 a day, or nearly \$5 a day on each car in favor of electric traction.

## NEWS-BREVITIES.

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RECORD OF CASUALTIES. A disastrous wreck of two freight trains on the Santa Fe railroad occurred near Garfield, N. M., on Tuesday night. The trains were piled up promiscuously. No one was injured seriously.

RECORD OF CASUALTIES. Peter Joannes, a farmer living near Duquesne, Pa., was killed by a train. He was attacked with bleeding at the nose, and in spite of every effort made by physicians to stop the flow of blood, he died. He was a well-known citizen, and his death was a great loss to the community.

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#### Arrival and Departure of Northern Pacific Trains.

Trains Arrive from the South:

No. 5 at 1:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 11 at 5:30 p. m., daily.

Trains Depart Going South:

No. 6 at 1:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 12 at 5:30 p. m., daily.

Trains Arrive from the West:

No. 6 at 1:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 8 at 1:30 p. m., daily.

No. 10 at 5:30 p. m., daily.

Trains Depart Going West:

No. 5 at 1:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 7 at 5:30 p. m., daily.

No. 9 at 12:10 p. m., daily.

Trains Arrive from the East:

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## The Brainerd Dam Sold.

The property of the Brainerd Water  
Power and Boom Company was sold  
at sheriff's sale on Monday afternoon  
at 2 o'clock sharp, to satisfy a judgment  
of \$17,657.37. The property  
was bid in by Ambrose Tighe, for  
Finney, Armstrong & Co., subject  
of course to the valid mortgage bonds  
of \$50,000 and \$49,000 worth of other  
bonds the validity of which is disputed.  
Parties in the city, headed  
by Geo. S. Canfield, claim that there  
is something behind this hurry to sell  
the property and assert that it was  
distinctly understood that an adjournment  
for another week would be  
granted. Mr. Canfield having paid to  
Mr. Tighe \$50, the cost of the adjournment.  
The sale of course has  
to be approved by the court and there  
are legal complications which are now  
likely to arise that may tie the property  
up in litigation and retard the improvements  
contemplated. On the other hand it is claimed that this sale  
does not in any way tend to prevent  
the proposed improvements and that,  
in fact, things are in a trifle better  
shape than before. Mr. Tighe offered  
to sign a contract with Mr. Canfield  
agreeing to sell the claim of his  
clients for the amount of the judgment  
but the gentleman refused to accept it.  
No new developments have been brought  
to light since the sale.

## Proceedings of Board of Education.

High School Building,  
May 1st, 1890.

### Regular session.

All members present except Trustees  
P. M. Lagerquist, M. Cullen and  
A. M. Wallace.

The minutes of the regular meeting,  
April 3rd, were read and approved as  
read.

The following report of Supt. J. A.  
Wilson was read and accepted:

To the Board of Education:  
I beg leave to submit the following  
report:

No. of pupils enrolled for the  
month of April..... 973

No. withdrawn (absent one week) 101

No. original entries..... 34

No. entries not original..... 39

No. suspended..... 3

No. reinstated..... 2

No. transferred..... 11

No. received by transfer..... 5

Average daily attendance..... 821

No. cases tardiness pupils..... 127

No. cases truancy..... 26

No. cases corporal punishment..... 21

No. cases tardiness of teachers..... 2

No. teachers employed..... 21

### BOOK ACCOUNT.

Stock Dr. to invoice..... \$371.43

By sales..... \$ 32.40

Balance..... 341.32

Cash Dr. to balance on hand..... \$ 8.49

" " stock..... 18.00

Cash Cr..... \$26.49

Balance..... \$ 2.19

Balance..... \$26.49

I recommend that the Board open  
a set of books in which the purchase  
and sale of school books shall be  
accurately kept. I recommend that the  
storm windows be removed from the  
windows of the school buildings in the  
Second and Third wards, and that  
the repairs necessary to provide the  
Third ward school with water be  
made. I recommend that the City  
Board of Examiners be instructed to  
hold an examination of teachers some  
time in this month.

J. A. WILSON, Supt.

On motion duly carried, J. Hurley  
was allowed \$2.50 for salary as janitor  
for two weeks in January in west  
side school building.

On motion properly carried the  
present appointed trustees H. Theviot  
and O. P. Erickson a committee to  
take an inventory of library books,  
school apparatus and all other personal  
property belonging to the district.

Motion made and duly carried that  
the report of the auditing committee  
be referred back, and same committee  
be requested to prepare an itemized  
inventory of school book until next  
meeting, May 12th.

Moved and seconded that the secretary  
be authorized to purchase a  
journal and ledger. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the following  
bills were allowed:

Grim & Co., text books..... \$27.00

John Falconer, repairs..... 11.56

Nels Halstrom, sawing wood..... 9.00

D. M. Clark & Co., hardware..... 21.96

Ingerson & Wieland, printing..... 4.50

M. Hagberg, 2nd cords wood..... 66.08

Miss A. L. Yonker, salary as  
librarian..... 6.00

Iverson, Blakeman & Co., copy-  
books..... 12.00

W. J. Button, text books..... 16.00

D. Elinger, sawing wood..... 12.00

H. C. Miller, repairs..... 13.05

H. Theviot, salary as clerk for  
one year..... 100.00

H. Theviot, postage stamps..... 1.83

Moved and seconded that the  
week's pay Miss Mary Small lost in  
April on account of term of court  
shall be included in June pay rolls,  
and Miss Small's class to close June  
27th. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the seat of  
A. M. Wallace as member of board,  
was declared vacant, on account of  
Mr. Wallace having been absent four  
regular meetings.

Motion made and properly carried  
to instruct the secretary to prepare  
a copy of all resolutions amending By-  
Laws of the Board since April 7th,  
1887, and to have them printed.

Moved and seconded to purchase  
three Anatomical Aids. Motion carried.

Moved and carried to adjourn.

Attest:  
H. THEVIOT, Clerk.

For Alderman.  
I hereby announce myself a candidate  
for alderman of the First ward. I do  
not personally desire the office, and in  
becoming a candidate I yield to the  
requests of a large number of voters,  
feeling that my long experience in the  
office will enable me to be of greater  
service to the ward and the city than  
would otherwise be possible.

J. S. GARDNER.

For Treasurer.  
I hereby announce myself a candidate  
for re-election to the office of  
City Treasurer, and respectfully solicit  
the support of all voters.

Very Respectfully,  
A. J. DEMEULES.

The following is the score of the  
Gun Club at their regular Wednesday  
shoot:

Palme, Wm..... 001001111100101-4

LaBar..... 111111011101101-19

Westfall..... 110101111111100-8

Manor..... 101010110001100-7

Bredford..... 100011011101101-10

Ferris..... 111011111111100-10

Ingerson..... 0000110100011010-3

McClellan..... 0000110100011010-3

Wille..... 111111111111111-15

Palme, F..... 111111011101101-19

Albion..... 001011010101101-8

Coyan..... 001011010111100-8

Powers..... 111111011001010-10

Waller..... 110101111111101-10

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Boer..... 110101111111101-10

Geo. LaBar won first badge on a  
shoot-off with Frost and White.

Ferris won second badge in shoot-off  
with Powers, F. Palme and Walker,  
and Westfall won the 6 to 10 badge.

On Wednesday next all the traps will  
be working on the electric system.

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Geo. N. Day.

H. McGinn.

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Henry I. Cohen.

J. E. Wilson.

H. Rosenblatt.

M. Hagberg.

S. & J. W. Koop.

J. E. Ireland. (When possible).

## Caucuses and Candidates.

A caucus was held in the Third  
ward on Thursday evening, M. Cullen  
being the choice for ward alderman.  
A. E. Whitney was selected as a  
candidate for alderman at large,







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#### LOCAL TIME TABLE.

##### Arrival and Departure of Northern Pacific Trains.

Trains Arrive from the South:  
No. 5 at 1:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.  
No. 11 at 5:30 p. m., daily.  
Trains Depart Going South:  
No. 6 at 1:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.  
No. 12 at 7:00 a. m., daily.  
No. 10 at 3:15 a. m., daily.

Trains Depart Going West:  
No. 5 at 1:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.  
No. 7 at 5:30 p. m., daily.  
No. 9 at 12:10 p. m., daily.

Trains Arrive from the East:  
No. 7 at 5:30 p. m., daily.  
No. 9 at 12:10 p. m., daily.

Trains Depart Going East:  
No. 8 at 1:40 p. m., daily.  
No. 10 at 3:15 a. m., daily.

No. 5 goes west to Fargo, and connects there with No. 1 for the Pacific coast.  
No. 8 connects at Staples with No. 2.

No. 12 is a midnight train, and connects at Staples with No. 3 for Wadena and stations on the Fargo branch, and for Winnipeg Junction and stations on the Duluth & Manitoba line.

No. 11 is a morning accommodation train coming from the Little Falls & Dakota branch.  
No. 12 is an accommodation train, and runs to Little Falls and points on the Little Falls & Dakota branch.

No. 11 and 12 connect at Little Falls with way freight No. 17 and 18 on St. Paul division.

Trains Arrive from Duluth at 6:35 p. m., and go west to Staples at 7:30 p. m., and go east to Duluth at 9:15 a. m.

No. 21 arrives from Duluth at 2:00 a. m., and goes west to Staples at 2:00 a. m., and goes east to Duluth at 11 p. m.

No. 22 goes west to Wadena at 7 a. m., and goes east to Duluth at 11 p. m.

No. 23 arrives from Wadena at 6 p. m.

These freight trains are permitted to carry passengers, but are not to be relied upon for regularity of movement, as they are liable to be abandoned without notice.

#### Local News Notes.

Mrs. A. F. Leopold is visiting friends in St. Paul.

Mel. Walker has returned from a trip to Nebraska.

Chas. Kinkade will open a new market at Presto.

The county commissioners will meet on Tuesday next.

F. M. Cable has gone East and will be absent about three weeks.

The Brainerd Gun Club will give a tournament some time in June.

Geo. Webster and wife have returned to Brainerd from Maine.

A man by the name of Schnitz was quite badly injured in a runaway.

Shade trees are being placed around many lots in Brainerd this spring.

Will Timmore shook hands with Brainerd acquaintances on Wednesday.

A new boy has put in an appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pearce.

Miss Amy Brockway is teaching at St. Matthias, the school having opened last Monday.

Mrs. C. B. Sleeper has returned to Brainerd after a two months' visit at Buffalo and other Eastern cities.

Tom Carey was arrested at Gull River for selling whiskey to Indians. The offense was charged as committed in 1887.

The Northern Pacific road has offered to build a new depot at Little Falls if the city will furnish the 200,000 brick necessary.

Bishop Seidenbusch has gone to Europe and will spend the summer at St. Stephens, Bavaria, according to the St. Cloud Journal-Press.

Assessor Reilly will commence his arduous task in a day or two. Both real estate and personal property are to be taken into consideration this year.

May 17th, the Scandinavian Fourth of July, will be celebrated in this city and a meeting has been called for Sunday afternoon next at Gardner's Hall to make arrangements.

Brainerd has been divided into five census districts and Mayor Hemstead has been requested to send in the names of persons eligible for enumerators. It is safe to say that the job is not a snap.

The Lottie Lee will be a source of pleasure to the Brainerd people this summer. On Sunday an excursion trip will be made to Miller's and on Monday she will start on her first trip to Grand Rapids.

Mr. Isaac Fitzgerald, of Minneapolis, an uncle of Mrs. A. E. Whitney, is spending a few days in the city. The gentlemen have been in the real estate business in that city for the past ten years.

Rev. E. E. Day will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church on Sunday morning and evening. The gentleman represents the College and Educational Society of the Congregational church in this state.

Frank Matteson has returned from his western trip, but is yet undecided as to whether he will locate in that region. He was more favorably impressed with Spokane Falls than any of the other cities, as in nearly every one business is overdone.

Malcolm McLaren has sold his hotel fixtures to Chas. Moberg who took possession of the Central Hotel on Thursday. Mr. Moberg has a son-in-law who will come here from St. Paul to run the hotel. Mr. McLaren will turn his attention to farming.

A festival will be given by the members of Bethlehem's Norwegian Lutheran church at Gardner's hall on Saturday evening, May 3rd. Supper will be served, also ice cream and strawberries. An auction of useful articles will be one of the features.

J. H. Wright & Co. have bought out the Brainerd steam laundry and took possession yesterday. New machinery for doing work equal in gloss and finish to that turned out of any city laundry has been ordered from Chicago, consequently the new firm will undoubtedly give satisfaction to all its customers.

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The present city council meets for the last time on Monday evening.

Rev. Earnest E. Day will make an address Sunday afternoon at 3:30 in the Y. M. C. A. Hall.

It is generally understood that the Y. M. C. A. has leased the vacant block just north of A. V. Snyder's on 8th street, and will place a high board fence around it. Base ball, cricket, etc., can then be witnessed on the inside for a consideration.

The 71st anniversary of the Odd Fellowship in America was observed by the two lodges in Brainerd on Sunday last by exercises at the Congregational church. Rev. Frizzell and Rev. Jenkins addressed the meeting in short but terse speeches. Odd Fellowship in Brainerd is on the gain.

The business men of Motley, it appears, object to the removal of houses of ill-fame. A town that builds its hopes on such rottenness will receive its Waterloo soon or later. Respectable men will shun it as they would a viper, and all that are respectable will flee from it as they would from yellow fever and cholera.—St. Peter Tribune.

The management of the Co-operative store changed hands on Thursday, May 1st, J. F. McGinnis taking charge on that date. Mr. McGinnis has for some time had charge of the clothing department and his advancement to the management of the entire concern speaks well of his efficiency in the mercantile business.

Manager Alexander feels somewhat pleased over the audiences which are attending the excellent class of entertainments that he is bringing here. "After Dark," on Monday evening, called out one of the largest audiences of the season, and every one was well satisfied. The little "Waif" in the play was a daughter of Mr. Alexander.

From this date on the banks in Brainerd will discount Canadian silver 20 per cent. On Canadian bills the usual discount of 5 per cent. will be continued. The action is made necessary by the refusal of other banks to accept such money at par. The First National Bank sent notices of the action to all its customers on May 1st.

Miss Nettie Bules will open a new millinery store on Laurel street, between 5th and 6th, the formal opening to occur to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon, to which all the ladies are cordially invited. A splendid stock of the finest and cheapest goods ever brought to this city will be exhibited. Don't forget to attend the opening to-morrow afternoon.

John Cochran will leave the city on Monday next for Hiawatha, Kansas, where he will be united in marriage on Tuesday, May 13th, to Miss Laura Carey, of that city. The couple will return to Brainerd on the 17th and will immediately go to housekeeping at 96 north Fourth street where Mr. Cochran has already furnished and fitted up a house for his bride in a cosy manner.

The Gospel meetings commenced last Sunday evening at the Y. M. C. A. lecture room are continuing with increasing interest. These meetings are held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., and conducted by Mrs. Carrie Knox Godfrey, superintendent of evangelistic work for the state W. C. T. U. Every one interested in the moral welfare of the people should add the influence of their presence at the meetings. These services will close with a Union mass meeting on Sunday evening at the M. E. church, as far as it is practicable for the pastors to unite. Services at 3 p. m., and 8 p. m.

H. C. Miller's carpenter shop on Eighth street next to the opera house caught fire this afternoon from a pile of burning rubbish, and but for the prompt action and hard labor of the firemen, would have burned to the ground. As it was it escaped with but slight damage. It seems hard to believe that any person possessing a grain of sense would burn rubbish during such a high wind as prevails to-day, but such seems to be the case. The water pressure also was so light that water could be thrown scarcely 20 feet from the end of the nozzle. The council should see that a reasonable pressure be kept on at all times, and especially on such a dry windy day as this has been.

The Score.

The following is the score of the Gun Club at their regular Wednesday shoot:

Pat. Wm. 001001111100101-8  
LaBar 11111101010101-12  
Westfall 11111101010101-12  
Mantor 01010110001010-7  
Bredfeldt 1000101101010-9  
Frost 11111111010101-12  
Ingersoll 00100100010101-6  
Cowan 11111111010101-12  
White 11111111010101-12  
Frost 11111111010101-12  
Paine, F. 11111111010101-12  
Frost 11111111010101-12  
Albertson 100000000001-5  
Veen 00101101010101-8  
Cowan 00000111100101-10  
Powers 11111101010101-10  
Taylor 10000001110001-6  
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### The Brainerd Dam Sold.

The property of the Brainerd Water Power and Boom Company was sold at sheriff's sale on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp, to satisfy a judgment of \$17,657.37. The property was bid in by Ambrose Tighe, for Finney, Armstrong & Co., subject of course to the valid mortgage bonds of \$50,000 and \$49,000 worth of other bonds the validity of which is disputed. Parties in the city, headed by Geo. S. Canfield, claim that there is something behind this hurry to sell the property and assert that it was distinctly understood that an adjournment for another week would be granted. Mr. Canfield having paid to Mr. Tighe \$50, the cost of the adjournment. The sale of course has to be approved by the court and there are legal complications which are now liable to arise that may tie the property up in litigation and retard the improvements contemplated. On the other hand it is claimed that this sale does not in any way tend to prevent the proposed improvements and that, in fact, things are in a trifle better shape than before. Mr. Tighe offered to sign a contract with Mr. Canfield agreeing to sell the claim of his clients for the amount of the judgment but the gentleman refused to accept it. No new developments have been brought to light since the sale.

### Proceedings of Board of Education.

High School Building, May 1st, 1890.

Regular session.

All members present except Trustees P. M. Lagerquist, M. Cullen and A. M. Wallace.

The minutes of the regular meeting, April 3rd, were read and approved as read.

The following report of Supt. J. A. Wilson was read and accepted:

To the Board of Education:  
I beg leave to submit the following report:

No. of pupils enrolled for the month of April..... 973  
No. withdrawn (absent one week) 101  
No. original entries..... 34  
No. entries not original..... 39  
No. suspended..... 3  
No. reinstated..... 2  
No. transferred..... 11  
No. received by transfer..... 5  
Average daily attendance..... 821  
No. cases tardiness pupils..... 127  
No. cases truancy..... 26  
No. cases corporal punishment..... 21  
No. cases tardiness of teachers..... 6  
No. teachers employed..... 21

BOOK ACCOUNT.

Stock Dr. to invoice.....\$371 43  
" " purchase..... 2 29

Stock Cr.....\$373 72  
By sales.....\$ 32 40  
Balance..... 341 32

Cash Dr. to balance on hand.....\$ 8 49  
" " stock..... 18 00

Cash Cr.....\$ 26 49  
Balance.....\$ 2 19  
Balance..... 24 30

\$26 49

I recommend that the Board open a set of books in which the purchase and sale of school books shall be accurately kept. I recommend that the storm windows be removed from the windows of the school buildings in the Second and Third wards, and that the repairs necessary to provide the Third ward school with water be made. I recommend that the City Board of Examiners be instructed to hold an examination of teachers some time in this month.

J. A. WILSON, Supt.

On motion duly carried, J. Hurley was allowed \$2.50 for salary as janitor for two weeks in January in west side school building.

On motion properly carried the president appointed trustees H. Thiel and O. P. Erickson a committee to take an inventory of library books, school apparatus and all other personal property belonging to the district.

Motion made and duly carried that the report of the auditing committee be referred back, and same committee be requested to prepare an itemized inventory of school book until next meeting, May 12th.

Moved and seconded that the secretary be authorized to purchase a journal and ledger. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Grin & Co., text books.....\$27 00  
John Falconer, repairs..... 11 56  
Nels Holstrom, sawing wood..... 9 00  
D. M. Clark & Co., hardware..... 21 96  
Ingersoll & Wieland, printing 4 50  
M. Hagberg, 29 1/2 cords wood..... 66 08  
Miss A. L. Youker, salary as librarian..... 6 00  
Iverson, Blakeman & Co., copy books..... 12 00  
W. J. Button, text books..... 16 20  
D. Ebinger, sawing wood..... 12 00  
H. C. Miller, repairs..... 13 05  
H. Thiel, salary as clerk for one year..... 100 00  
H. Thiel, postage stamps..... 1 83  
Moved and seconded that the week's pay Miss Mary Small lost in April on account of term of court shall be included in June pay rolls, and Miss Small's class to close June 27th. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the seat of A. M. Wallace as member of board, was declared vacant, on account of Mr. Wallace having been absent four regular meetings.

Motion made and properly carried to instruct the secretary to prepare a copy of all resolutions amending By-Laws of the Board since April 7th, 1887, and to have them printed.

Moved and seconded to purchase three Anatomical Aids. Motion carried.

Moved and carried to adjourn.

Attest:  
H. THEVIOT, Clerk.

For Alderman.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for alderman of the First ward. I do not personally desire the office, and in becoming a candidate I yield to the requests of a large number of voters, feeling that my long experience in the office will enable me to be of greater service to the ward and the city than would otherwise be possible.

J. S. GARDNER.

For Treasurer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of City Treasurer, and respectfully solicit the support of all voters.

Very Respectfully,  
A. J. DEMEULES.

Caucuses and Candidates.

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Third Ward—M. Cullen.

Fourth Ward—Thomas Crawford.

Fifth Ward—John McNaughton and N. Heller.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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Second Ward—W. D. McKay.

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Gull River News.

It is so quiet here that you can hear a pin drop.

Most of the Gull River ladies visited Brainerd last Saturday.

Mr. Bull is having quite a series of ups and downs with erysipelas. We hope to see him soon.

Mr. Horr went to Minneapolis Saturday, as usual, to spend Sunday with his family.

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Campbell, of Brainerd, were guests of Mrs. Moores to-day, and from here drove out to Sylvan Lake.

Messrs. Nary and Burgoyne left Sunday evening for an extended trip in the Lake Itasca country.

Forest fires around us have caused some anxiety during the past days.

We wish for rain for many reasons.

Fishermen, both men and boys, have good success in taking out fish here by our bridge; we mean by the new bridge, built by the county.